MEMORANDUM

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To:

Addressees

From:

Dean Applefield DSA

Date:

December 11, 1997

Re:

Notice of Intent to Issue Declaratory Ruling

Please find enclosed a notice from the Commissioner of Environmental Protection regarding a petition for a Declaratory Ruling filed by Joseph A. Wellington, Esq., on behalf of MacDermid, Incorporated..

Addressees

Gregory Strong - MacDermid, Incorporated (Via Certified Mail, Return Receipt Requested)

Joseph A. Wellington, Esq. - Counsel for MacDermid

Kevin McSweeney - EPA Region I

Steven Yea - EPA Region I

The Honorable Philip A. Giordano, Mayor, Town of Waterbury

Brigadier General William A Cugno - Counsel for the Town of Waterbury

Anita Schepker - Connecticut Chemical Council

Jean M. Cronin - Connecticut Association of Metal Finishers

Thomas Turick - Connecticut Business & Industry Association

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Arthur J. Rocque, Jr. Commissioner

NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE A DECLARATORY RULING

In accordance with Conn. Agencies Regs. §§22a-3a-4(a)(4), 22a-3a-4(c)(3) and Section 4-176 of the Connecticut General Statutes, the Commissioner of Environmental Protection hereby gives notice that he has received a petition for a Declaratory Ruling filed by Joseph A. Wellington, Esq., on behalf of MacDermid, Incorporated. The Commissioner hereby gives notice that he has accepted the petition and will issue a declaratory ruling in this matter on or about June 8, 1998. In its petition, MacDermid asks whether a spent etchant solution generated and managed by its customers and managed at MacDermid's Waterbury facility is a waste subject to regulation under the state's hazardous waste or other waste management laws.

Interested persons may examine the petition on weekdays from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Department of Environmental Protection, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, CT., 06106. Copies of the petition or portions thereof are also available. To make arrangements to view or obtain a copy of the petition, call Dean Applefield at 424-3036.

Interested persons may, for thirty days following publication of this notice, submit comments concerning the petition or may file a request to become a party or intervenor with regard to the Commissioner's consideration of the petition. Comments concerning the petition or a request to become a party or intervenor should be directed to Dean Applefield, Office of Legal Counsel, Department of Environmental Protection, 79 Elm Street, Hartford, Connecticut 06106.

December 11, 1997

Arthur J. Rocque, Jr.

Commissioner of Environmental Protection